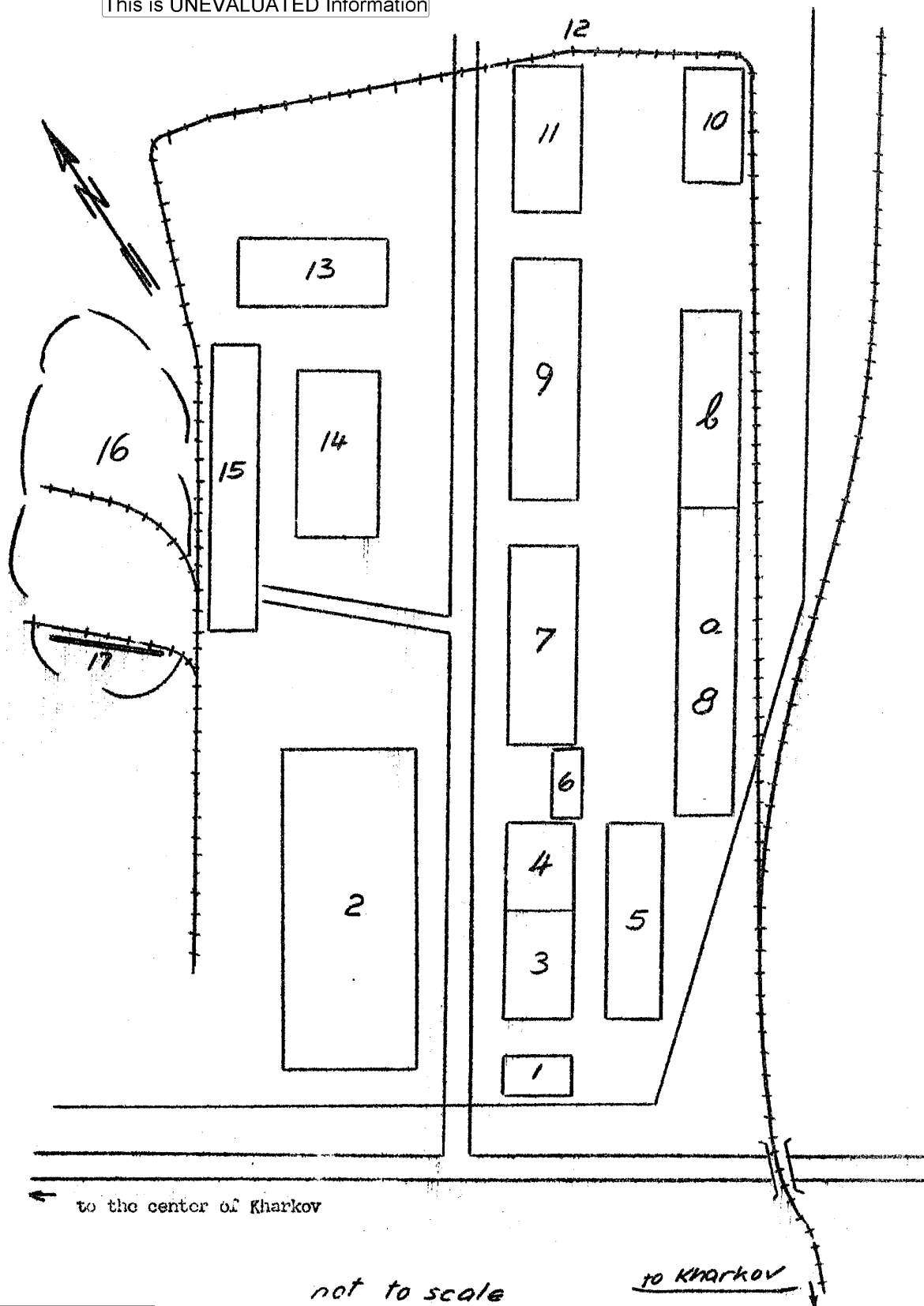


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Hammer and Sickle Threshing Machine Plant in Kharkov

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Legend to Layout Sketch of Hammer and Sickle Threshing Machine Plant in Kharkov

1. Administration building.
2. Foundry, 350 x 100 meters, fenced in. Convicts worked there.
3. Forge, 200 x 25 meters, forging axles, straightening crank shafts, and press cutting large metal sheets for threshing machine bodies. Its equipment included one 300-ton press, two or three 80-ton presses, one 80-ton press cutting machine, automatic plate shears, and pneumatic hammers. The workshop appeared rather empty.
4. Specially guarded section, 100 x 25 meters, where, according to rumors, shells or explosives were produced. No material shipments were observed arriving or departing from this shop.
5. Building under construction, 300 x 25 meters. Its iron framework was completed.
6. PW camp No 7149/2.
7. Building, 175 x 20 meters, housing the tool shop, the plant repair shop for machines, and the grinding shop for crankshafts. No details are available.
8. Workshop, 350 x 20 meters.
 - a. Department IS 3, which did work similar to that of workshop 3 and in addition produced shaking sieves for threshing machines. Department IS 3 had milling machines, drilling machines, and grinding machines.
 - b. Assembly shop, assembling threshing machines, and cutting and welding angular iron. This shop was equipped with mobile cranes, drilling, planing, and milling machines, grinding machines, and welders.
9. Department No 23, so-called Stambovka, 200 x 40 meters, cutting plates and drilling and grinding bushes and other parts not remembered.
10. Building under construction, with the iron framework completed but no roof.
11. Body construction department, partially assembling threshing machines. The shop had one 300-ton press, eight 80-ton and 100-ton presses, drilling machines, and 50 spot welding machines. Size of workshop was not determined.
12. Loading place with a loading platform under construction and a crane connection under construction to body construction department. The loading platform was strong enough to hold tanks, and it had concrete ramps, 5 meters wide, leading to the platform.
13. Screw and threading lathe shop, 60 x 20 meters.
14. Wood working shop, 200 x 30 meters, producing wooden superstructures for threshing machines, and equipped with many wood processing machines.
15. Wood shed, storing coal and coke.
16. Lumber yard and storage area containing approximately 300 boxes with dismantled German machinery.
17. Loading platform under construction and of the same type as No 12 above.

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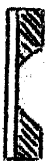
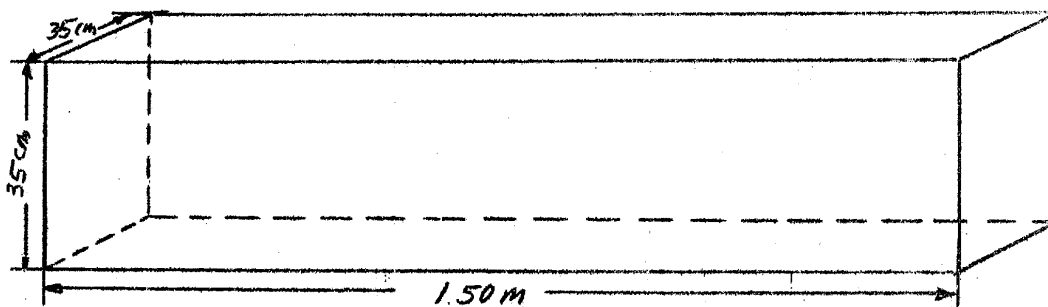
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Sketch of Ammunition Box



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